

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Ian P. Murray

Serial No.: 10/544,091
I.A. Filed: January 29, 2004Docket Number: 103376.00176
Art Unit: ****
Examiner: ****

For: Multi-Axial Positioning System for a Surgically-Implanted Spinal Support

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

September 8, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

MAILING CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(A)

I hereby certify that the above correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria VA 22313-1450 on or before September 8, 2006.


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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

- One Month (\$120)
- Two Months (\$450)
- Three Months (\$1,020)
- Four Months (\$1,590)

A check in the amount of \$1,590.00 is enclosed. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Please charge any extra fees or overages to deposit account no. 50-1752.

Respectfully submitted,

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